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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT NO.: 6,636,584  
ISSUED: October 21, 2003  
APPLICATION NO.: 10/024,035  
FILED: December 17, 2001  
DOCKET NO.: 22027.CIP3.CON

**PETITION  
RENEWAL/  
RESPONSE**

Mail Stop PETITIONS  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Petitioner renews it's Petition for an Unintentionally Delayed Claim for the Benefit of Priority Under 35 U.S.C. 120 filed for the above referenced patent under 37 CFR 1.78(a)(3) on September 9, 2005.

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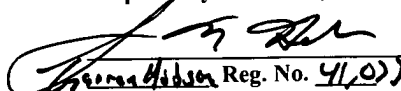
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Respectfully submitted,

  
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## REMARKS

Petitioner's Petition for an Unintentionally Delayed Claim for the Benefit of Priority Under 35 U.S.C. 120 was dismissed for not including a certificate of correction. Petitioner hereby submits a certificate of correction and renews it's petition. The petition fee has already been paid.

Petitioner notes the response to the petition states that "since the application referenced above matured into Patent No. 6,636,584 on October 21, 2003, a petition under 37 CFR 1.78(a)(3), along with a submission of a Certificate of Correction is the appropriate avenue of relief to accept a late claim for the benefit of priority to prior-filed nonprovisional applications after issuance of the application into a patent." Accordingly, Petitioner has enclosed a Certificate of Correction containing the proposed corrections along with the instant request for renewal of the petition filed on September 9, 2005.

The priority claim presently states:

"This is a continuation of U.S. Patent application Ser. No. 09/471,106, titled Apparatus And Method For Imaging Objects With Wavefeilds, and filed Dec. 21, 1999, which is incorporated herein by reference";

but is corrected to state:

"This is a continuation of U.S. Patent application Ser. No. 09/471,106, titled Apparatus And Method For Imaging Objects With Wavefeilds, and filed Dec. 21, 1999, now U.S. Patent No. 6,587,540, which is incorporated herein by reference, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/706,205, filed on Aug. 29, 1996, now abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/486,971, filed on June 22, 1995, now abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 07/961,768, filed on Oct. 14, 1992, now U.S. Patent No. 5,588,032."

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## CONCLUSION

In light of the above, Petitioner respectfully request it's Petition for an Unintentionally Delayed Claim for the Benefit of Priority Under 35 U.S.C. 120 be renewed. If any impediment to the renewal of the Petition remains after submission of the Certificate of Correction, the Petition Examiner is strongly encouraged to call Garron M. Hobson at (801) 566-6633 so that such matters may be resolved as expeditiously as possible.

Petitioner encloses a check in the amount of \$100.00 for the Certificate of Correction fee. It is Petitioner's understanding that an additional Petition fee is not required. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Petition Renewal Request to Deposit Account No. 20-0100.

DATED this 21 day of Jan, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,



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